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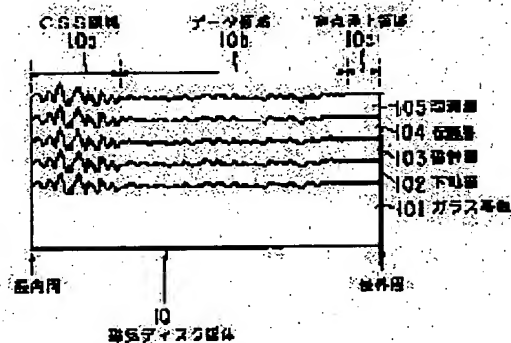
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(54) DISK MEDIUM AND DISK DEVICE MOUNTED WITH THE SAME

(57)Abstract:

PROBLEM TO BE SOLVED: To increase a flying margin between a head and a disk medium at the time of fix point flying.

SOLUTION: Separately from a contact start stop (CSS) area 10a arranged in the innermost circumferential side of a magnetic disk medium 10, a fixed point flying area 10c having finer surface roughness compared with that of the CSS area 10a is provided on the outermost circumferential side, and a head is made to fly at a fixed point above this fixed point flying area 10c. It is desirable that tracks having a same format as a data area 10b and tracks is formed on this fixed point flying area 10c.



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